IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Edward J. SARE et al.) Group Art Unit: 1755
Application No.: 10/518,792) Examiner: Pegah PARVINI
Filed: September 1, 2005))
For: HIGH SOLIDS, LARGE PARTICLE, CALCINED KAOLIN SLURRIES)) Confirmation No.: 8239))

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the non-final Office Action dated August 3, 2007, please amend the referenced application as follows. The Petition for Extension of Time for three (3) months filed concurrently herewith extended the due date for response to February 3, 2008, which was a Sunday; accordingly, this Response is timely filed on Monday, February 4, 2008, by operation of 35 U.S.C. § 21(b).

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper, beginning at page 8.